

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY PRAGUE  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3157  
AMEMBASSY BONN  
AMCONSUL MUNICH  
INFO AMEMBASSY BELGRADE  
AMEMBASSY BERLIN  
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BELGRADE FOR USDEL CSCE

E. O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: CSCE, CZ  
SUBJ: CZECHOSLOVAK OPPOSITION TO RFE/RL

REF : (A) MUNICH 1984, (B) PRAGUE 0488 (NOTAL)

1. QUOTATIONS TAKEN FROM CZECHOSLOVAK EMBASSY STATEMENT  
CITED IN  
JULY 6 RFE/RL REPORT FROM BONN (REF A) CLOSELY PARALLEL LANGUAGE  
OF ARTICLE BY DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER SPACIL IN RUDE PRAVO  
FEBRUARY 19, WHEN SPACIL ASSERTED GOC "...SHALL NOT STOP CONDEMNING  
AND ADVOCATING THE LIQUIDATION OF SUCH REMMANTS OF THE COLD-WAR  
PERIOD AS THE CONTINUING INFLAMMATORY ACTIVITY OF RFE AND RL..."  
(REF B). WHILE WE HAVE NOT SEEN TEXT OF REPORTED EMBASSY  
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STATEMENT, WE SUSPECT THAT IT MAY WELL BE BASED IN PART OR IN  
WHOLE ON SPACIL ARTICLE.

2. ATTACKS ON RFE/RL BY REGIME SPOKESMEN IN CZECHOSLOVAK  
PRESS ARE NOTHING NEW, BUT WE ARE INTERESTED THAT CHAMPAIGN IS NOW  
BEING CARRIED TO FRG TERRITORY BY MEANS OF OFFICIAL EMBASSY  
STATEMENT REPORTED REF A. IT ALSO INTERESTS US THAT DEPUTY

FONMIN SPACIL CONTINUES HIS ROLE AS PRINCIPAL GOC SPOKESMAN ON CSCE MATTERS DESPITE RESHUFFLE OF MINISTRY RESPONSIBILITIES WHICH WE ARE STILL DIGESTING.

3. FOR BONN AND MUNICH -- CAN YOU CONFIRM THAT CZECHOSLOVAK EMBASSY PRESS RELEASE ACTUALLY "INDICATES THAT CZECHOSLOVAKIA WILL USE THE BELGRADE CONFERENCE TO PRESS FOR THE DISMANTLING OF RFE/RL" (REF A)? ORIGINAL ARTICLE BY SPACIL APPEARS TO STOP A BIT SHORT OF A PRESENT DEMAND FOR SHUTTING DOWN THE STATIONS. FROWICK

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